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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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In response to the Office Action mailed August 4, 2005, Applicants respond as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this document.

**Amendments to the Claims** are shown in the listing of claims that begins on page 4 of this document.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 11 of this document and include attached replacement sheets.

**Remarks** begin on page 12 of this document.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following page 14 of this document.